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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF OMITTED ITEM(S)
IN A NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Omitted Item(s) in a Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) dated November 20, 2003 (copy attached). The Notice states that Figure 4f is described in the specification, but was not included with the application as filed.

Applicant respectfully submits that the present application does not contain or require a Figure 4f. As such, Applicant respectfully submits that there are no omitted items from the present application. Accordingly, the filing date of the present application should remain August 27, 2003.

A preliminary amendment is being filed concurrently herewith to ensure that references to Figure 4f in the specification are corrected. No new matter is being introduced by the changes made by the preliminary amendment.

Allowance of the application is respectfully solicited.

Applicant believes that no fee is required. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. M4065.0931/P931.

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